

## PETERSBURG SUBSCRIBES TO COTTON LOAN FUND

Comes Promptly to Front With \$100,000 From Banks and Business Men.

TOTAL FUND NOW \$1,183,000

J. B. Fishburn, Disappointed at Roanoke's Failure, Subscribes \$25,000 for His Bank—Many Richmond and Norfolk Men to Be Heard From.

Subscriptions to the fund being raised to finance the cotton crop continue to be received by the Richmond Cotton Loan Committee. The total yesterday reached the sum of \$1,183,000, and although the Virginia allotment is considerably less, the committee still larger. A number of local concerns are expected to enter the pool, while Norfolk business men are endeavoring to increase their subscription, and have notified the committee that the prospects are bright.

Petersburg business men agreeably surprised the committee yesterday by the announcement that they had raised \$100,000. The hustling little city had been asked to subscribe \$75,000, but when its merchants and bankers got together, they speedily went over the mark. Alexander Hamilton was chairman of the committee which raised the funds.

On top of the cheering news from Petersburg, came a letter from J. B. Fishburn, president of the National Change Bank, Roanoke, in which he stated that he was disappointed in the failure of the business men of that city to contribute to the pool, but that his institution would subscribe \$25,000. In the same mail was a letter from B. E. Vaughan, of Lexington, who subscribed a total of \$6,500 for his chain of banks—First National Bank, Lexington; Bank of Rockbridge, Lexington; Standard National Bank, and First National Bank, Beuna Vista.

### CAMPAIGN BEGAN

LAST SATURDAY The campaign to raise the \$1,000,000 subscription allotted to Virginia and West Virginia by the National Cotton Loan Committee was begun when a mass-meeting was held in the Chamber of Commerce and a total of \$608,690 was raised, including a subscription of \$260,000 from the Richmond banks. A total of \$1,183,000 was subscribed, of which the total from this city was \$608,690. Lynchburg subscribed \$100,000, Norfolk, \$200,000; Petersburg, \$100,000, and the balance reached the present figure.

Oliver J. Sands, W. M. Hablston and W. Meade Addison compose the Richmond Cotton Loan Committee, and George C. Gregory, R. Lathier, Gordon Addison form the soliciting committee. They have not given up hopes of raising still more money here. The bank subscription was made by the five banks composing the Richmond Clearing House, and two trust companies, and it is probable that other smaller banks will subscribe, as well as business concerns which have taken their question up with their stockholders. The total subscription is \$1,183,000, and it is hoped to bring this up to an even \$2,000,000. Norfolk will probably raise a considerable part of this amount, while a number of small towns and counties are expected to contribute. West Virginia, through three cities, has subscribed \$41,600 to the fund, although little or no business is done by them in the section to be benefited.

### PETERSBURG PROMPTLY RAISES ITS SHARE

The subscribers to the Petersburg \$100,000 subscription are: Seward Trunk and Bag Company, \$10,000; Virginia Trunk and Bag Company, \$5,000; Roper & Co., \$3,000; Martin and Sons, Inc., \$2,500; Augustus Right Company, \$2,500; H. P. Harrison & Co., \$2,000; Hardware Company, \$2,000; Petersburg Trunk and Bag Company, \$2,000; W. H. Camp, \$1,000; Southern Dry Goods and Notion Company, \$1,000; Stratton & Bros., \$1,000; H. L. Smith & Co., \$1,000; Lumber and Box Company, \$1,000; Totty Trunk and Bag Company, Inc., \$1,000; Appomattox Box Shook Company, \$1,000; Rogers Bros. & Co., \$1,000; Charles Lunford & Gray, \$500; Kent Furniture Company, \$500; F. F. Thwait & Co., \$500; Arrington & Green, \$500; Robinson & Purdy Corporation, \$500; Rodgers-Fleming & Co., Inc., \$500; American Hardware Company, \$500; Macell, Zimmer, McGill Tobacco Company, \$500; E. E. Titus, \$500; H. P. Munt, \$500; W. E. Poole, \$500; W. J. Rahlly, \$500; Dr. L. S. Davis, \$500; J. F. Huth & Co., \$500; J. M. Hanrahan, \$500; H. L. Smith & Co., \$200; Appomattox Iron Works, \$100; Whitmore-Ligon & Co., \$100; John Moyler, \$500; Jacob Cohen & Sons, \$500; W. L. Zimmer, \$500; Richmond Dry Goods Company, \$500; A. Rosenstock & Co., \$500; Harlow-Wilcox & Co., \$200; W. B. Beach, \$200; W. H. Harrison Company, \$100; Eisenberg Bros., \$100; F. F. Huth & Co., \$1,000; Stockell-Myers, \$500; National Bank of Petersburg, \$13,000; Virginia National Bank, \$16,000; Petersburg Savings and Insurance Company, \$20,000. Total, \$100,000.

### WILL TEST VALIDITY OF ROLLING STOCK ACT

City Attorney Pollard Authorized by Council Finance Committee to Begin Action.

City Attorney Pollard was authorized last night by the Finance Committee of the City Council to take immediate steps to test the validity of the rolling-stock act. Several cities have decided to take the case to the courts, and have asked Richmond to join them in the fight.

The rolling-stock act changes the method of taxing the cars, engines and other movable property of the railroads. It was formerly the custom to tax them in the city where the principal office was located, but the new law divides the money between the cities and counties through which the lines operate, using the trackage as a basis for distribution. The act was passed at the last session of the city Assembly, following a decision of the courts that an act having the same purpose was unconstitutional.

A decision to test the validity of the rolling stock act was practically reached at a conference of several city attorneys held in Richmond on October 23. Most of the cities of Virginia have been affected by the act, several of them losing heavily. Richmond, it is estimated, will lose about \$160,000; Roanoke about \$300,000, and Petersburg approximately \$100,000.

### OPENS OFFICE HERE

Big Four Railroad Going After Richmond. As an indication of the growing importance of Richmond in the railway world, the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway Company, known as the "Big Four Route," has opened passenger offices here, in charge of Charles Krotzenberger, traveling passenger agent. Mr. Krotzenberger said yesterday that his duties would be to look after the interests of the travel, routed from here over the Chesapeake and Ohio.

## COMMANDER EVA BOOTH SPEAKS AT AUDITORIUM

Head of Salvation Army in America Is Heard by Immense Audience.

TELLS OF HER FATHER'S WORK

Mayor Ainslie Welcomes Her to City. Will Visit Southern Points Before Returning to New York—Describes War Relief Work.

Commander Eva Booth, of the Salvation Army, last night delivered her famous lecture, "My Father," at the City Auditorium, before an audience of 2,500 people. Every seat on the lower floor of the spacious building was taken, and there were few vacant in the large gallery above. With her silvery tongue and winning personality, Miss Booth scored a triumph. Her lecture was supplemented with a motion-picture portrayal of the history of the Salvation Army, while music by Miss Booth's orchestra and trained vocalists was an enjoyable feature of the program.

Many Salvation Army officers from this and other States were in the audience, and some of them had traveled many miles to hear the gifted daughter of the illustrious founder of the organization speak. Commander Eva Booth is the fourth daughter of the world-famed philanthropist, the late William Booth. When but a schoolgirl she served as an apprentice in the cause which was to be her life work, selling "War Cry" on the streets of London. Soon her gentleness and courage won for her the distinction of being the champion "War Cry" seller in the army. Standing on a chair in one of the darkest streets of London, she sold the "War Cry" in an open-air meeting.

### PLACED IN CHARGE

OF TRAINING HOME While yet in her teens, Commander Eva Booth played an important part by the side of her sister, the late Consul Booth-Tucker, who as Miss Emma Booth, was in charge of the first training home of the organization. By sheer ability and strength of character, Commander Booth has risen from the ranks, and not because she was the general's daughter. She has held successively each title from sergeant to commander. Her first appointment was to a large corps which was assigned to the task of abuse and opposition to the Salvation Army in that district, but her gentleness and deeds of kindness, Commander Booth soon worked a revolution in the neighborhood, and won for herself the title, "The Angel of the East." Under many a Waterloo of the Army's history Miss Booth has been the blucher.

Her last appointment in England, under the title of field commissioner, placed her in command of the London provinces, and a principal of the International Training Home, in which dual position, she had 21,000 Salvation Army soldiers, 600 officers, and about 100 cadets always under her control. Her command in England included the reception and care of refugees during the Armenian atrocities, the inauguration of army day schools throughout the land, the opening of the work on the Yaman during the Russian revolution in the North, and also the birth and growth of prison work.

### DEMONSTRATED ABILITY AS ORGANIZER

During her work as commander in the United States, Miss Booth has thoroughly demonstrated her ability as an organizer and a leader and has gained wide popularity as an orator.

Miss Booth yesterday was the guest of the Hon. John Murphy, at the Murphy Hotel. She and her staff were visited by Mayor George Ainslie, who extended to her a cordial welcome on the part of the city. Commander Booth yesterday conferred with Adjutant Elmer Johnston, of the local Salvation Army, regarding the work of the organization in Richmond. She also talked with army officers from other cities regarding the work.

Miss Booth yesterday expressed the deepest sympathy for those who have been obliged to suffer in the European war, and she told the great good which is being accomplished in this country to aid the wounded soldiers in Europe by the "old linen campaign." Headquarters for the "old linen campaign" are at the City Auditorium, where donations of old linen or cotton may be sent, or they may be given to Adjutant Elmer Johnston, head of the local branch of the Salvation Army. After leaving Richmond, Commander Booth will visit other Southern cities before returning to the North.

### RED CROSS COMMITTEE WILL RECEIVE SUPPLIES

Clothing and Surgical Needs of War Zone Will Be Forwarded by Local Department Stores.

Members of the executive committee of the Richmond Chapter, American Red Cross, have just completed arrangements whereby contributions of clothing and surgical supplies for the relief of the European war sufferers will be received at the store of the Cohen Company and at the establishment of Miller & Rhoads.

Regulations of the organization say, in part: "Supplies, if to be shipped, should be sorted, packed and securely packed in boxes or barrels, and on the outside of each package should be marked with a stencil an indication of the character of the contents." In making the appeal for aid, the Richmond chapter feels that no lengthy appeal is necessary, that the carnage and destitution resulting from the European war is so appalling that conditions are obvious. It is hoped that to receive contributions for the sufferers it is only necessary to point the way to the givers.

Threatened Lumpkin's Life. Charles Gullett, twenty-one years old, was last night arrested by Police Sergeant Shomaker on a warrant charging him with assault and threatening the life of O. D. Lumpkin. He will be arraigned before Justice Griggs in Police Court this morning.

Charged With Stealing Cloak. Maggie Morgan, colored woman, was yesterday afternoon arrested by Mounted Policeman Allen, charged with stealing a \$40 cloak from Mattie Ward.

Suspected of Stealing Lead Pipe. Gurney Chappell, a twelve-year-old negro, was last night arrested by Bicycle Policeman Reid, charged with being a suspicious character, suspected of stealing a lot of lead pipe from J. R. Pollard. He was taken to the Colored Detention Home pending his arraignment in the Juvenile Court this morning.

Robert Randolph Arrested. Robert Randolph, colored man, was arrested last night by Motorcycle Policemen Samuels on a warrant charging him with assaulting and beating William... Suspected of Stealing Watch. Maggie Morgan, colored woman, was yesterday afternoon arrested by Mounted Policeman Allen, charged with stealing a \$40 cloak from Mattie Ward.

## WORKING FOR SOLDIERS ON EUROPEAN FIELDS



Commander Eva Booth (right) and Salvation Army Worker Making Bandages for Soldiers.

Commander Eva Booth (right), of the Salvation Army, and some of the workers in New York making cotton and linen bandages for the wounded soldiers in the war zone. Thousands of these bandages are being prepared at Salvation Army headquarters under the direct supervision of Miss Booth. The annual Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners to which the poor of many cities have looked forward, are to be given up, so it is said, this year. The money ordinarily spent for this good cause will, instead, be used to alleviate the conditions of those who were made homeless by the war which is raging in Europe.

## GOVERNOR REFUSES TO HONOR REQUISITION

Pennsylvania Authorities Seek to Extradite Jean La Motte on Charge of Theft.

SAYS WOMAN LOANED HIM RING

Roanoke Real Estate Man Claims Criminal Proceedings Are Unwarranted, and That Woman Now Demands Much More Than Ring Cost.

Governor Stuart yesterday afternoon refused to honor the requisition of the Governor of Pennsylvania in the case of Jean La Motte, arrested in Roanoke two weeks ago on the charge of stealing a ring valued at \$150, the property of an Allentown, Pa., woman, the complainant.

The Governor, however, decided to hold the matter in abeyance, as a courtesy to the Pennsylvania authorities, and in order to give Assistant District Attorney Herbert M. Buchanan, of Lehigh County, who brought the requisition papers to Richmond, an opportunity to produce new evidence. La Motte, who is a real estate dealer in Roanoke, formerly resided in Allentown. He came to Richmond to fight the extradition proceedings, accompanied by his counsel, Randolph Henry, a Roanoke lawyer. La Motte declared that he was the victim of an attempt to collect from him more than the actual value of a diamond ring given to him by Cora Nonnemacher, an Allentown woman, to whom he had made a loan of \$300. He explained that the ring was given to him by the woman for the purpose of securing funds.

### SAYS WOMAN DEMANDS MORE THAN RING COST

After he had hypothesized the "snafu" of the woman, he says, made a demand upon him for it, and when he did not respond immediately, she caused his arrest. He asserted that the criminal proceedings instituted were unwarranted, that there was nothing criminal in his transaction involving the hypothesized of the ring. He refused to settle, he added, because the woman demanded much more than the ring cost her.

La Motte produced letters showing that the woman had written to the chief of police of Roanoke, agreeing to return the ring if \$300 was paid to her for it. He said he had been able to secure only a \$35 loan on it. The value of the ring, as stated in the warrant upon which he was arrested, is \$150. La Motte is about fifty years old in appearance, and is said to be prominent in business circles in Roanoke.

### TWENTY-EIGHT APPLICANTS PASS POLICE EXAMINATION

Seventy Men Are Now on Eligible List for Appointment to Police Force.

Captain George Pollock, secretary of the Police Board, yesterday announced that twenty-eight applicants for the force passed the recent examinations held in the City Hall, and are now eligible to the Richmond police force. This number is the largest list of eligibles to seventy, and it is from this list that the new men to be authorized as a result of annexation, will be selected.

Among the number is Charles Strain, who was one of the Colts' mainstays in the box during the recent annexation of 1913; W. J. Botto, who some time ago resigned from the force after marriage; and the recent recruit, James W. McDonough, 815 North Twenty-first Street; W. R. Miller, 1002 North Twenty-sixth Street; G. E. Outten, 211 East Twelfth Street; and S. W. 1920 Claiborne Street; C. R. Strain, 900 1-2 North Twentieth Street; J. H. Woods, 219 1-2 Church Street; W. J. Botto, 241 West Marshall Street; Elmer Byrum, 916 Brook Avenue; W. W. Burley, 2910 East Main Street; E. N. Cole, 1227 Taylor

The following is the list of those who passed the recent examinations: B. H. Beard, 608 North Twenty-fourth Street; C. L. Brockwell, 732 Louisiana Street; J. W. Bennett, 207 Randolph Street; E. J. Beckwith, 707 East Clay Street; J. L. Carr, 627 South Belvidere Street; C. Eddleton, 500 South Pine Street; C. Kennedy, 311 Minor Street; W. R. Miller, 1002 North Twenty-first Street; W. R. Miller, 1002 North Twenty-sixth Street; G. E. Outten, 211 East Twelfth Street; and S. W. 1920 Claiborne Street; C. R. Strain, 900 1-2 North Twentieth Street; J. H. Woods, 219 1-2 Church Street; W. J. Botto, 241 West Marshall Street; Elmer Byrum, 916 Brook Avenue; W. W. Burley, 2910 East Main Street; E. N. Cole, 1227 Taylor

## "NOTICE"

TO RESIDENTS OF ANNEXED TERRITORY: In case of fire, where fire apparatus is needed, telephone to Central Fire Alarm Office, City Hall. Call Madison 121, giving exact location and nature of fire.

By order of the Board of Fire Commissioners.

W. H. THOMPSON, Superintendent Fire Alarm Department.

## AMUSEMENTS

Colonial—Gracie Scott Company in "Mrs. Wiggs of Cabbage Patch." Empire—Lucille La Verne Company in "All the Comforts of Home." Lyric—Popular vaudeville, matinee and night. Edison—"The Follies of 1920." Superior—"Pictures."

### Lyric's New Bill Is Good.

Lottie Collins, the daughter of the famous European music hall singer, who was the sensation of the variety stage in England and France a number of years ago, made her appearance at the Lyric Theatre yesterday. She is an attractive comedienne with a fetching manner and an entirely new wardrobe of handsome gowns. It appears entirely proper that she should be billed as the feature of the new Lyric bill, for her rendition of "It's a Long Way to Tipperary," and "You're a Pocket Edition of Your Mother Twenty Years Ago," proved to be the song hits of the program.

Connolly and Webb stood sponsors for a "musical whirlwind," which proved a feature account only to Miss Collins's act. The male member of this

### CLIMATE FAILED; Medicine Effective

Sufferers from Tuberculosis often think that medicine will not help them. Fresh air, regular habits and good food aid in restoring health, but more is needed. Many have been restored to health by Eckman's Alternative.

"Gentlemen: Through your instrumentality I have been saved from a premature grave. On December 14, 1904, I was taken with Typhoid Pneumonia, which developed into Tuberculosis (bacilli were found). In February, 1905, I was taken with Typhoid Pneumonia, and later to Canon City, Colorado. After being there two weeks my physical condition was such that my case was hopeless. Three weeks later I returned home, weighing 103 pounds, the doctor having given me no assurance of reaching there alive. On July 14, 1905, I began taking Eckman's Alternative remedy for Lung Trouble. Now I am strong and well, and I can do any kind of work about my grain elevator." (Abbreviated.)

ARTHUR WEBB. Eckman's Alternative is most efficacious in bronchial catarrh and severe throat and lung affections and upbuilding of the system. Contains no harmful or habit-forming drugs. Accept no substitutes. Small size, \$1; regular size, \$2. Sold by leading druggists. Write for booklet of recoveries. Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia. Sold by Tragle Drug Co. in Richmond, Va.

We Challenge Any Jeweler to Duplicate These Offerings:

Because of our business as loan brokers, we can sell perfect diamonds at prices that no jeweler can equal. These engagement rings are perfect white brilliant diamonds, in genuine Tiffany setting.

\$60 one-quarter carat diamond in solid gold \$35

\$140 half carat diamond in solid gold \$85

Come in to-day and bring this advertisement.

Sam'l. Bachrach Jeweler & Loan Broker 815 E. Broad

Mr. Barth lives on West Main Street, Richmond, Va., occupation street car conductor. Mr. Barth has been employed for seven years by the Virginia Railway and Power Company as conductor on the street railway. For two years has had an awful lot of trouble with his stomach and bowels; a pain in lower right side; was told he had appendicitis, however, would blot to an awful size; felt like something gnawing at naval or was eating away his insides. Sometimes the pain was so bad he had mustard plaster put on his bowels, was taking everything he could get, but nothing he had ever tried did not seem to benefit him. A friend told him about the Quaker Herb Ex-

tract at the Tragle Drug Store, and that wonderful work it was doing. He had his wife call at Tragle's and purchase one bottle of Quaker Herb Extract, and it seemed a God-send, for he received more benefits from the very first dose than anything he had ever taken, and after using one bottle about ten days, stated that the Quaker Remedy "the greatest medicines in the world, for they do the work that other treatment could do, and I will certainly recommend them to any one who I may come in contact with that is suffering." The Health Teacher has proved what he said he would, he was here, that he would give you the names from

team is a genius, if such is possible of an eccentric piano player. His imitations of a number of musical instruments were unusually good and the audience seemed to appreciate the team's efforts.

A novel animal act was introduced for the benefit of the kiddies in Tribbett's Military Dogs, the canine actors furnishing a great deal of the fun on the comedy bill. Their military drill was a revelation of what can be accomplished in the way of training brutes. Eddie Howard provided a tumbling and falling act far above the average of that furnished by stage clowns, and Kelly and Galvin also proved to be comedians of ability.

The bill was rounded out with several comedy films which caused considerable merriment and a new release of the Hearst-Selig News Review, showing the latest scenes from the war zone.

### Drill Team at Empire.

The exhibition drill presented by the same Grotto drill team on the stage of the Empire Theatre on Tuesday and Thursday nights has proved so pleasing to the patrons of Miss La Verne's company, that the management has been requested to arrange for its repetition throughout the rest of the week.

In consequence, the team will offer its best and most elaborate drill again to-night and to-morrow night.

### Otis Skinner's New Play.

One of the features of the stagecraft displayed in the production of "The Silent Voice," the new Jules Eckert Goodman play, in which Charles Frohman presents Otis Skinner at the Academy of Music next Monday and Tuesday nights, is a scene acted, not on the stage itself, but back of the stage, which is brought to the vision of the audience by an ingenious arrangement of lights.

But, after all, clever mechanics are not necessary, however interesting they may be, in any play presented by Otis Skinner. His act alone is sufficient.

### Clef Club Next Monday.

Sixty men, playing as many instruments of string, wood, brass and percussion, are enough to produce an unusual volume of sound, but when all

### Why Suffer With Your Eyes? Kirk-Parrish Co.

The Outfitters. 627 East Broad Street.

LA VERNE'S EMPIRE. Billed as a J. K. K. (Kirk-Parrish Co.) Prices, 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c. Mat. Tues., Thurs., Sat. Benefit Sam's Grotto Drill Team 3c. All This Week. The Lucille La Verne Co. present ALL THE COMFORTS OF HOME. Special Stunts by Drill Team at Every Performance.

### LYRIC--To-Day

MATINEE AND NIGHT DAINY LOTTIE COLLINS

(As big a hit as her mother was when she made famous "Ta-ra-ra-boom-de-ay.") 5--OTHER BIG ACTS--5 NO ADVANCE IN PRICES.

### GRAYCE SCOTT COLONIAL

ALL THIS WEEK. Mat. Tues., Thurs., Sat., 2:30 The Success of Three Continents. Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch. Prices: 25c, 35c, 50c.

### BIJOU THEATRE

ALL THIS WEEK. DAINY EVA MULL. Matinees Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday. CITY AUDITORIUM. Monday, November 9, 8:15 P. M. Sharp.

### CLEF CLUB ORCHESTRA

of New York City. Tickets on sale at The Corley Company. Admission, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Reservations for White Patrons.

### The Confederate Museum

1101 N. CLAY STREET. Open 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Admission 5c. Free 9 A. M. to 3 P. M. on Saturdays.

### The Valentine Museum

ELEVENTH AND CLAY STREETS. Hours 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. Admission 5c. Free on Saturdays.

### Tyler's

ENGLISH CUT CLOTHES \$15.00 Nobby Stouts and Slims.

### \$1.00 TUNING COUPON \$1.00

NOT GOOD AFTER NOV. 7, 1914. THIS COUPON will entitle holder to a \$1.00 reduction from our REGULAR price of \$2.50 for tuning if presented on or before November 7, 1914. Only one coupon will be taken on each tuning. If you cannot use this coupon, give it to a friend. Not good outside of "City Limits" or immediate suburbs.

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